Washington DC - The Children's Defense Fund named Congressman Rodriguez as one of the US House of Representatives Best Representatives for Children in 2007. The Children's Defense Fund released their 2007 nonpartisan Congressional Scorecard, in the scorecard Congressman Rodriguez received a score of 100 out of 100. Congressman Rodriguez demonstrated his support and dedicate to our future generation through his support for the Children's Health Insurance Bill, the increase in the minimum wage, providing access and quality improvements to Head Start as well as his support for student financial loan funding.

Congressman Rodriguez has stood up for the children across his district and throughout the nation. Congressman Rodriguez said, "I am committed to making sure that our children grow up in a safe and healthy environment and continue to have access to quality health care and education until they reach adulthood. I look forward to continuing to work on behalf of our children."

The Children's Defense Fund is a National private, nonprofit organization with the mission of providing a voice for Children with specific attention focused to minority children and children with disabilities. For more information about the study and the Children's Defense Fund please visit <a href="https://www.childrensdefense.org">www.childrensdefense.org</a>.